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Docket No.: 10089/13

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : T. SHIMOMURA et al.
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GROUP ART UNIT : 2872
EXAMINER : F. ASSAF

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the PTO Communication entitled Notice of Non-Compliant
Amendment, having a one month one-month period for response, Applicants respectfully
request entry of the following amendment to the specification:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph bridging pages 10 and 11 (starting at page 10, line 10 and
ending at page 11, line 3) with the following:

--Preferably the amount of residual solvent(s) in a coating layer of the infrared absorption
filter is 5.0 wt.% or less, the filter being prepared by depositing a composition on a substrate,

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